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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Confirmation No.: Unassigned

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For: A METHOD OF MANIPULATING AN ALREADY SENT E-MAIL AND
CORRESPONDING SERVER

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.47 (a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions to be permitted to proceed with the above application absent the signed Declaration and Power of Attorney by one of the multiple inventors. The grounds to the petition are fully set forth in the accompanying Declaration and its exhibits.

The inventor Jean-Pierre Kelles has left the employ of the assignee, and his whereabouts are unknown.

The assignee will continue to attempt to obtain signature by Mr. Kelles.

The refusing inventor's last known address is:

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A check for the surcharge of \$130.00 for submission of the late Declaration is attached.

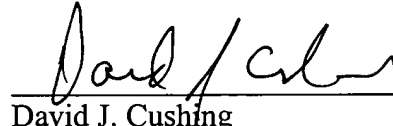
Also attached is a check for the petition fee of \$130.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h). Please also

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Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.7(a)
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Respectfully submitted,



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